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THE BOARD OF HEALTH

VARIOUS REPORTS, PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS AIED ON.

Proposal that a Congress of Leprologists be held for the Suppression and Prevention of Leprosy.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Health yesterday afternoon the following proceedings were had:

The petition of Lee Kai Fai, a Chinese from Hongkong, for a license to practice medicine, was referred to the Board of Medical Examiners.

The tender of the Hollister Drug Company for supplying drugs and medicines for the use of the Board for the ensuing year was accepted.

The request of the wife of a leper to be allowed to send her twelve-year-old girl to the Kapiolani Home for girls was denied.

Kinau, who owns three dwelling houses which were condemned as unfit for habitation during the cholera season, petitioned to be allowed to rent two of the buildings and occupy the third. Referred to the Sanitary Committee to report on next week.

The usual letters and reports from Superintendent Meyer of the Leper Settlement and Veterinary Surgeon Monsarrat were received and approved.

Dr. Hildebrand reported examining 737 female pupils in the Honolulu schools. Dr. Williams of Hilo made a similar report.

The position of Government physician for the district of Hanalei, Kauai, was offered to Dr. Brown of Kealia.

Sheriff Andrews of Maui was appointed agent of the Board to advise with the matron of the Wailuku hospital on financial and other concerns of that institution. Sheriff Andrews was granted permission to sell the old pest-house at Wailuku for \$25.

A long communication from Dr. Albert S. Ashmead of New York to W. O. Smith, in relation to a proposed congress of leprologists to devise ways and means for the suppression of leprosy was read and referred to the special committee on leprosy.

A communication from Dr. Eldredge of Yokohama concerning the Kusatsu Mineral Springs in Japan was also read.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Industrial Work at the Reform School to be inaugurated.

At the meeting of the Board of Education held yesterday afternoon Professor Alexander reported arrangements made for the selection of school sites at Hanalei, Hawaii, and Pearl City.

The blank forms for school teacher's certificates, recommended by deputy-inspector J. F. Scott, were approved and adopted.

The Board refused the request of J. Smith of Koloa, Kauai, to lease a lot of land at that place which belonged to the Board.

Minister Cooper reported on the proposition to start industrial work at the Reform School, stating that the Executive were in favor of the new departure. He recommended that \$500 be expended in making necessary arrangements.

Deputy-inspector Scott was instructed to procure a list of all the scholars in the Emma street school and that conducted by Armstrong Smith, said list to show which of the pupils paid for tuition.

The petition for the release of Freitas, a Reform School boy, was granted.

Mr. Dumas appeared before the Board and explained certain recommendations in connection with the Practice School, and Mr. Scott was authorized to procure an estimate of the cost of fencing

in the building occupied by that school.

Applications from Messrs Barton and C. H. White for the position of assistant at the Reform School were laid on the table.

School agent R. W. Meyer of Molokai was authorized to close one of the schools on that island until a suitable teacher could be found.

It was ordered that the Maemae school be finished up at once.

TROUBLE IN THE FAMILY.

A Wronged Husband Comes Home When Not Expected.

Last night between 10 and 11 o'clock Ben Pangelinan went home quite unexpectedly and found the door of his wife's room locked. He kicked it in and found another man occupying the place in the bed which lawfully belonged to him, which was just what he had expected and prepared for. After kicking in the door Ben drew the pistol he had provided himself with and entered the room. The guilty parties both jumped out of bed, the wife making her escape during the subsequent proceedings which interested her not. The man made a break for the door without waiting to put on his clothes but was stopped by a blow from the injured husband's fist which partly stunned him. Ben then put up his pistol and after putting the man's head "in chancery" thumped him until his head was covered with blood. He then compelled the man to sit on a chair until a policeman arrived, refusing to allow him to put on his clothes until he had been taken in charge.

At the police station he was identified as Arthur Jones, a clerk in the Manufacturers' Shoe store, and one of the prominent young half whites about town. He was charged with being found unlawfully on the premises of another at night, and later bailed out and sent home.

Ben Pangelinan is the second steward of the Hall, but left that vessel during her last trip and came home ahead of time in order to verify certain suspicions of his wife's fidelity which had been aroused in his mind.

Some accounts have it that he battered Jones over the head very severely with the butt end of his revolver, but the above will likely be found to be the truth. During the morning the wife was also arrested but afterwards allowed to go on her own recognizance.

The case against Jones was called in the Police Court today but went over.

THE PUNCHBOWL RESERVOIR.

Water Turned In Yesterday Leaks Out During the Night.

Yesterday afternoon the new Punchbowl reservoir was filled for the first time for the purpose of testing the cement work and discovering the location of any possible cracks. This morning the water was found to be running out through a small leak in the bottom. The water was turned off and a search made for the leak. It was found to be in the bottom of the reservoir, but there were only a few slight cracks in the cement to show for it. It is supposed there is a bed of black sand under that particular place which has caved slightly from the pressure above. The place will be excavated and filled with rock and cement and it is expected there will be no more trouble.

Hawaiian Hardware Co.

In a change of advertisement this morning the Hawaiian Hardware Company calls attention to a few novelties in the shape of the improved American meat and vegetable choppers, bird cages both brass and painted, Hartman's steel wire door mats, rain gauges and portable boot black stands.

A couple of drunks, male and female, were given the usual fine in the police court this morning.

IMPORTANT DECISIONS

INSTRUMENTS MADE BY SUMNER TO CRANDELL ARE TRADERS.

Rawlins Protected in His Rights—Trust Funds Guarded—Other Court Notes.

Judge Perry has rendered a decision on the bill in equity to cancel a deed brought by Maria K. Harbottle and William Harbottle her husband against T. W. Rawlins. The grounds stated in the bill are that the execution of the deed was procured by Rawlins through undue influence and misrepresentation, and while complainants were acting under fear and constraint caused and exercised by defendant. After reviewing the evidence the Judge finds upon it, and upon the law, that the complainants are not entitled to the relief prayed for. Hence the bill is dismissed. Magoon & Edings for complainants; Robertson for defendant. In rendering the decision, the Court quotes Story as follows: "If a person of ordinary understanding, on whom no fraud has been practiced, makes an imprudent bargain, no court of justice can release him from it. Inadequacy of consideration is not a substantial ground for setting aside a conveyance of property."

Judge Carter has rendered a decision on motion for order of publication of summons, in the case of James J. Byrne vs. John Allen, Henry Allen, Henry Rhodes, W. H. Lambert, A. Feek, B. F. Dillingham and the Oahu Railway & Land Company. The bill alleges the recovery of a judgment for \$812.12 and costs against the defendants other than Dillingham and the company; that there is no property in this republic which could be attached or taken under execution; that the defendants other than those expected are non-residents; that there is an agreement between the railway company and Feek by which Feek is to receive \$7000 of its bonds on the completion of its roadbed to Kaena Point, and that the right or equitable interest of Feek in said bonds cannot be taken on execution. The relief sought is an injunction addressed to the Oahu Railway & Land Company enjoining it from passing the said interest of Feek in or to said bonds to him or his assigns, and the application of the proceeds of Feek's interest therein to the judgment debt. There is no allegation that execution has issued and has been returned unsatisfied.

The Court in effect finds that it has no jurisdiction to summon Feek by publication, and such being so it cannot constitutionally sequester the property to enforce a judgment at law. It would be objectionable to enjoin the company from passing the interest of Feek, which, if the Court did not acquire jurisdiction of Feek, would tie up the bonds indefinitely. The motion is over-ruled; the cause cannot proceed in the absence of proper service on the defendant Feek.

Magoon & Edings for plaintiff; Wood for Dillingham and the Railway.

In the matter of the application of Bruce Cartwright, trustee for Susie F. Cartwright and two children, to invest \$5000 in a chattel mortgage of a half interest in a collection of coins and medals, to bear nine per cent. per annum, Judge Carter has rendered a decision. He disallows the application on the ground that the proposed investment is not a proper one for trust funds. Under the terms of this particular deed, which require first-class investments, the Court considers that security should be of the first importance and the rate of interest secondary. Apart from the deed it would not be approved if the trustee made it on his own re-

sponsibility. "The property offered has no market or definite value, and, while the collection may be of greater value than ten thousand dollars to the present owners, still under a foreclosure sale of an undivided interest it is extremely doubtful if the same would bring anything like five thousand dollars from anyone in this country, and the mere fact of advertisement of such sale in a foreign country would not insure so much as investigation, not to say bidders."

The fact that the parents of the children interested have consented to the proposed investment cannot affect the requirements of the law, as the interest of the children cannot be prejudiced by any consent or act of the parents. Kinney and Ballou for trustee.

A. M. Kahananui vs. James Ashford, injunction, has been set for hearing next Monday.

Judge Perry has signed a decree affirming the bill to appoint a receiver, etc., in the case of J. K. Sumner by his next friend, Maria S. Davis, against M. F. Crandell. The decree sets out that the power of attorney alleged to have been given by J. K. Sumner to the defendant was obtained by Crandell by fraud and is a fraudulent instrument. Also that a certain instrument signed by J. K. Sumner in favor of M. F. Crandell, whereby Sumner transferred and assigned to Crandell for thirty five years one-third part of all the net income, rents, issues and profits accruing or derived from the property of Sumner after all expenditures for care and management and sale had been paid, was obtained by the defendant of Sumner by fraud and is also a fraudulent instrument.

The decree orders both the fraudulent instruments to be revoked, the property restored to Sumner, and a full accounting made by Crandell, who is also enjoined from having any more to do with the property. James A. King is decreed as appointed to be permanent receiver of the estate of J. K. Sumner, having its full management, under a bond of \$25,000.

Magoon and Kinney for complainant; Castle and Dole for defendant.

Cecil Brown, administrator and trustee of the estate of W. M. Gibson, has filed his third annual account. Receipts \$3390.47, payments \$2860.79, balance \$529.68. He also files a report, chiefly taken up with a statement of the arrangement lately made with W. G. Irwin for the relief of the estate.

Creighton & Correa have filed an appeal for Arthur Fitzgerald, sentenced to two years for shooting a police officer in the leg. The same firm, with S. K. Kane, have filed Geo. Houghtaling's appeal from conviction for unlawful liquor selling.

C. Kaiser and Chun Ming, administrators of the estate of Lam Pow, have filed their first and final account. Receipts \$474.93, payments \$174.93, balance to distribute among creditors \$300.

Mrs. Maria J. Forbes has entered a suit of ejectment against Christian Gertz and Anna Gertz for property at Kawaiahae.

TOOK POISON BY MISTAKE.

An Electric Light Man Drinks Acid for Cold Tea.

An employee of the Electric Light Works named S. Stebbins, who was working in the new stables of W. G. Irwin at Waikiki, took some nitro-muriatic acid in mistake at noon today. He was feeling quite thirsty, so taking up the bottle which he thought contained tea, and which was labeled "Root Beer," he took a large draught of the burning acid. Available antidotes were given him, and Dr. Sloggett was telephoned for. Dr. Sloggett accompanied by Dr. Wayson drove out as quickly as possible. The suffering man was given the proper antidotes, and then removed to his home on Emma street. When seen at 2:30 this afternoon, Dr. Sloggett said the patient was resting easy.

IS THIS OUR OLD FRIEND?

ONE J. W. ASH WANTED FOR BEATING HOTELS.

Supposed to be W. B. Ash Who Gained Much Notoriety in This City Some Time Ago.

Many people will remember a young man who was known here as W. B. Ash, who posed as a teacher of elocution and music and appeared in several entertainments here. He was accompanied by a good-looking young woman whom he said was his wife, although he showed his affection for her by taking a shot at her with a revolver while they were residing in a cottage on Hotel street. It is more than likely that this is the same young man who is mentioned in the following clipping from a late Call:

"Detectives John Seymour and Ross Whitaker were at the Palace Hotel last night, waiting for some hours for the return of J. W. Ash, who is said to be a very smooth young man with several aliases, who has been beating several hotels of the country.

"Ash, according to the story, had a traveling partner who has been operating for a part of the time under the name of J. T. McKay. The latter stopped at the Occidental for a brief time, but appears to have grown apprehensive of arrest, for it is said he left the city Tuesday. A request has been sent here that they be arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses.

It seems that these men, both of whom are well dressed and of suave manners, were at the Antlers Hotel in Colorado Springs from September 5 to September 11. Two young women were with them, who passed as their wives. The men left the hotel and went to Denver, there apprising the women that they would return the next day.

They did not put in an appearance, and about this time it developed that they had feathered their nests in one way and another to the extent of several hundred dollars. At Colorado Springs the men were said to have registered as J. T. McKay and J. W. Ash.

Further investigation brought out the story that they had left Kansas City on September 1, and registered at the Brown Palace Hotel as A. W. Mann and wife, Boston, and H. W. Gordon and wife, Arizona. It is said they also announced at one time that they were stock men of Fort Worth, Tex.

POLICE COURT MATTERS.

Six Months on the Reef for Battering His Wife.

In the District Court this morning the case of W. Thoni, charged with malicious injury and mischief in untying a horse belonging to Carl Klemme from the wagon to which it was attached and thereby possibly causing damage to the amount of \$200, was set for trial on the 6th, on a plea of not guilty.

J. Kelly was fined \$2 and \$3 costs for battering another.

Maria da Mello pleaded guilty of profanity. Sentence suspended.

Punkela was fined \$50 for having opium in possession, and the charge of larceny against him nolle prosequi.

Kaolelo was sentenced to six months on the reef for battering his wife, although the latter testified that he only pulled her by the hand and she fell over a trunk, inflicting a bad cut over her eye and otherwise giving her the appearance of having passed through a threshing machine. Deputy Marshal Hitchcock and others of the police told a different story and testified to statements made by both man and woman at the time of the arrest. It was also shown that the defendant had been convicted several times of a similar offense.